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The attached documents were cited by the European Patent Office in the International Search Report for the PCT application corresponding to the present U.S. application. Copies of the International Search Report, with patent family annex, and the PCT Written Opinion are attached. The Search Report and Written Opinion were received by Applicant on September 2, 2004.

Kindly note that although DE 3422213 is a German document, US 4,619,078 is listed in the patent family annex as a member of the respective patent family. A copy of the U.S. patent is also attached.

Although no English translation accompanies the cited German Utility Model DE 29915499 U1, the requirement for a concise explanation of relevance is believed

met by the submission of the International Search Report which is in English (1135 OG 14).

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